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FYI. Here's the letter from the Governor that has stimulated discussions in D.C. along with the basic milestones for the SWRCB's proceedings for the Water Quality Control Plan (the dates have slipped but the milestones remain relevant). You may have heard that David Hayes is leaving Interior.

Thanks for your support. Tim

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Subject: Re: Regional Coordination Meeting Agenda - April 25

Per David's request, attached is Governor Brown's letter mentioned on the call today.

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Below is the schedule for Phase 1 and Phase 2 of the Bay-Delta WQCP from SWRCB

»» **Note:** Future dates are bold.

- **Phase 1** (San Joaquin River Flow and South Delta Water Quality)
 - February 13, 2009: NOP and Notice of Scoping Meeting issued under CEQA notifying agencies and the public of potential updates to the Bay-Delta Plan generally and soliciting information on potential updates to southern Delta salinity and San Joaquin River flow objectives.
 - April 1, 2011: A Revised NOP and Notice of Additional Scoping Meeting issued for the preparation of a Substitute Environmental Document (SED) for the State Water Board's review of the southern Delta salinity and San Joaquin River flow objectives.
 - November 21, 2011: Peer review of Technical Report on the Scientific Basis for Alternative San Joaquin River Flow and Southern Delta Salinity Objectives made available.
 - March 5, 2012: Release of draft technical appendices for early review. They include: Scientific Basis for Alternative San Joaquin River Flow and Southern Delta Salinity Objectives (Scientific Report); Agricultural Economic Effects of Lower San Joaquin River Flow Alternatives (Economics Report); Hydropower and Electric Grid Analysis of Lower San Joaquin River Flow Alternatives (Power Report)
 - July 2012: Proposed release of Revised Draft Objectives and Program of Implementation for San Joaquin River flows and Southern Delta Salinity, along with the draft CEQA document for public comment.
 - **August 2013:** Proposed adoption of the revised draft objectives, program of implementation and CEQA document by the State Water Board.

- **Phase 2** (Comprehensive Review of Bay-Delta Plan)
 - January 24, 2012: Supplemental NOP issued to solicit information to inform Phase 2 of the State Water Board's comprehensive Bay-Delta Plan update.
 - April 25, 2012: Written comment deadline for CEQA scoping related to Phase 2 Bay-Delta Plan update.
 - May 16, 2012: Scoping meeting conducted.
 - September 5, 2012: Ecosystem Changes and the Low Salinity Zone. (May continue to September 6 if necessary).
 - October 1-2, 2012: Bay-Delta Fishery Resources. (May continue to October 3 if necessary).
 - November 13-14, 2012: Analytical Tools for Evaluating the Water Supply, Hydrodynamic, and Hydropower Effects.
 - **May 2013**: Proposed release of documents for public review.
 - **August 2013**: Proposed workshops.
 - **November 2013**: Proposed release of final draft environmental documents for review.
 - **June 2014**: Proposed adoption of the revised draft objectives, program of implementation and CEQA document by the State Water Board.